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Livestock Weighted Average Report for 5/17/2021 - Final

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| | This Week | Last Reported 4/19/2021 | Last Year |
|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------|-----------|
| Total Receipts: | 3,623 | 1,873 | 0 |
| Feeder Sheep/Lambs: | 380(10.5%) | 75(4.0%) | 0(0.0%) |
| Slaughter Sheep/Lambs: | 2,267(62.6%) | 1,397(74.6%) | 0(0.0%) |
| Replacement Sheep/Lambs: | 318(8.8%) | 67(3.6%) | 0(0.0%) |
| Feeder Goats: | 155(4.3%) | 55(2.9%) | 0(0.0%) |
| Slaughter Goats: | 496(13.7%) | 275(14.7%) | 0(0.0%) |
| Replacement Goats: | 7(0.2%) | 4(0.2%) | 0(0.0%) |

Compared to last sale (4-19-21): Feeder lamb buyers reentered the market this week for the first time in months thus no comparisons can be made on feeding lambs. Slaughter lambs under 80 lbs sold mostly 8.00-12.00 higher, lambs over 80 lbs sold unevenly steady. Both Ramadan and Eid-al-Fitr have passed and ethnic buyers showed much lighter demand for lambs and goats as a result. This allowed some lambs to be purchased by feeding buyers this sale. Many short docked lambs were seen this sale and feeding buyers passed on many of these offerings. Many of these lambs were heavy muscled and desirable to slaughter buyers so no discount was seen for these offerings. Demand was moderate to good for moderate offerings. Market activity was mostly moderate. Slaughter ewes sold sharply lower on good ewes with most sales 18.00-25.00 lower, utility ewes sold mostly 3.00-4.00 lower and cull ewes sold mostly 5.00 higher. Demand for thin ewes remains strong as ethnic buyers purchased most of these offerings. Demand for fleshy ewes was light this sale. A few ranchers were active in purchasing replacement ewes this sale. Demand for replacement ewes was mostly good. Slaughter bucks sold mostly 15.00 lower. All classes of goats sold sharply lower as ethnic demand for goats was mostly light. Slaughter kids sold 20.00-50.00 lower. Nannies sold mostly 50.00-60.00 lower, billies sold mostly 15.00-30.00 lower. Supply included: 10% Feeder Sheep/Lambs (100% Lambs); 63% Slaughter Sheep/Lambs (30% Woolled & Shorn, 5% Hair Breeds, 60% Ewes, 4% Hair Ewes, 2% Bucks, 0% Hair Bucks); 9% Replacement Sheep/Lambs (98% Ewes, 2% Families); 4% Feeder Goats (100% Kids); 14% Slaughter Goats (62% Kids, 26% Nannies/Does, 9% Bucks/Billies, 3% Wethers); 0% Replacement Goats (100% Families).

FEEDER SHEEP/LAMBS**LAMBS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price | |
|------|----------|--------|---------------|-----------|------------|
| 17 | 59 | 59 | 292.50 | 292.50 | |
| 69 | 60-68 | 63 | 286.00-295.00 | 290.14 | |
| 78 | 73-76 | 74 | 282.50-295.00 | 288.67 | |
| 29 | 80-89 | 88 | 253.00-272.50 | 255.46 | |
| 28 | 94 | 94 | 232.50 | 232.50 | |
| 16 | 92 | 92 | 225.00 | 225.00 | Buck Lambs |
| 34 | 116 | 116 | 195.00 | 195.00 | Old Crop |
| 17 | 122 | 122 | 187.50 | 187.50 | Old Crop |

LAMBS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| Head | Wt Range | Avg Wt | Price Range | Avg Price |
|------|----------|--------|-------------|-----------|
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|----|-------|----|---------------|--------|
| 23 | 43-49 | 45 | 250.00-255.00 | 253.34 |
|----|-------|----|---------------|--------|

SLAUGHTER SHEEP/LAMBS**WOOLED & SHORN - Choice 1-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 39 | 53-58 | 56 | 287.50-295.00 | 290.93 | Average |
| 130 | 61-68 | 67 | 285.00-297.50 | 289.87 | Average |
| 54 | 70-76 | 71 | 275.00-291.00 | 288.55 | Average |
| 30 | 80-88 | 84 | 260.00-280.00 | 266.19 | Average |
| 110 | 92-94 | 93 | 245.00-247.00 | 245.70 | Average |
| 47 | 100-115 | 108 | 229.00-239.00 | 237.93 | Average |

WOOLED & SHORN - Good and Choice 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 4 | 36 | 36 | 285.00 | 285.00 | Average |
| 7 | 46 | 46 | 272.50 | 272.50 | Average |
| 62 | 53-58 | 57 | 255.00-285.00 | 263.95 | Average |
| 10 | 64 | 64 | 245.00 | 245.00 | Average |
| 65 | 76-79 | 78 | 232.50-242.50 | 235.08 | Average |

HAIR BREEDS - Good and Choice 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 16 | 58 | 58 | 260.00 | 260.00 | Average |
| 25 | 69 | 69 | 235.00 | 235.00 | Average |
| 35 | 70 | 70 | 250.00 | 250.00 | Average |

HAIR BREEDS - Good 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 9 | 53 | 53 | 230.00 | 230.00 | Average |

EWES - Good 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 216 | 165-199 | 184 | 73.00-82.00 | 76.92 | Average |
| 109 | 161-198 | 180 | 82.00-87.00 | 85.21 | High |
| 8 | 184 | 184 | 61.00 | 61.00 | Low |

EWES - Good 3-4 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 155 | 200-240 | 213 | 68.00-77.00 | 74.14 | Average |
| 4 | 215-218 | 217 | 81.00-85.00 | 83.01 | High |

EWES - Utility 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)



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| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 293 | 105-148 | 132 | 85.00-98.00 | 91.50 | Average |
| 17 | 125-140 | 137 | 77.00-78.00 | 77.92 | Low |
| 267 | 150-165 | 158 | 85.00-96.00 | 89.72 | Average |
| 11 | 153-170 | 159 | 77.00-83.00 | 80.33 | Low |

EWES - Cull 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 39 | 111-135 | 122 | 82.00-87.00 | 85.48 | Average |
| 10 | 105-124 | 120 | 71.00-76.00 | 75.13 | Low |

HAIR EWES - Good 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 43 | 118-143 | 126 | 79.00-82.00 | 79.93 | Average |
| 2 | 178 | 178 | 82.00 | 82.00 | Average |

HAIR EWES - Utility 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 6 | 95 | 95 | 95.00 | 95.00 | Average |
| 19 | 116 | 116 | 96.00 | 96.00 | Average |

BUCKS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 1 | 140 | 140 | 75.00 | 75.00 | Low |
| 2 | 155 | 155 | 93.00 | 93.00 | Average Yearlings |
| 5 | 186 | 186 | 94.00 | 94.00 | High |
| 1 | 170 | 170 | 65.00 | 65.00 | Low |
| 10 | 200-240 | 213 | 81.00-85.00 | 83.28 | Average |
| 3 | 215-245 | 225 | 87.00-88.00 | 87.36 | High |
| 3 | 220-240 | 230 | 74.00-78.00 | 76.67 | Low |
| 9 | 250-298 | 267 | 80.00-84.00 | 81.66 | Average |
| 4 | 255-285 | 263 | 75.00-76.00 | 75.27 | Low |
| 3 | 308 | 308 | 82.00 | 82.00 | Average |

HAIR BUCKS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 | 255 | 255 | 91.00 | 91.00 | Average |

REPLACEMENT SHEEP/LAMBS**EWES - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

| <u>Age</u> | <u>Stage</u> | <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 2-4 | O | 65 | 130-146 | 142 | 101.00-111.00 | 105.28 |



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|-----|---|----|---------|-----|--------------|--------|------------|
| 2-4 | O | 29 | 158-164 | 163 | 91.00-110.00 | 106.83 | |
| 2-4 | O | 25 | 168 | 168 | 83.00 | 83.00 | Fleshy |
| 4-6 | O | 3 | 165 | 165 | 94.00 | 94.00 | |
| 4-6 | O | 17 | 206 | 206 | 91.00 | 91.00 | Black Face |
| >6 | O | 4 | 149 | 149 | 84.00 | 84.00 | |
| >6 | O | 1 | 180 | 180 | 84.00 | 84.00 | |

EWES - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Head / Actual Wt)

| <u>Age</u> | <u>Stage</u> | <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 2-4 | O | 10 | 134 | 134 | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| 4-6 | O | 58 | 157 | 157 | 89.00 | 89.00 |

FAMILIES - Medium and Large 1-2 w/ <20 lbs lamb (Per Family / Actual Wt)

| <u>Age</u> | <u>Stage</u> | <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 4-6 | O | 5 | 147 | 147 | 270.00 | 270.00 |

FEEDER GOATS**KIDS - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 4 | 26 | 26 | 330.00 | 330.00 |
| 43 | 43-47 | 44 | 310.00-330.00 | 317.22 |
| 1 | 50 | 50 | 305.00 | 305.00 |

KIDS - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 31 | 30-36 | 35 | 225.00-270.00 | 249.36 |
| 25 | 43-48 | 45 | 235.00-290.00 | 248.25 |
| 1 | 50 | 50 | 255.00 | 255.00 |

SLAUGHTER GOATS**KIDS - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 7 | 59 | 59 | 315.00 | 315.00 | Average |
| 43 | 60-69 | 65 | 307.50-335.00 | 322.45 | Average |
| 8 | 70-75 | 72 | 295.00-322.50 | 312.17 | Average |
| 1 | 90 | 90 | 305.00 | 305.00 | Average |
| 12 | 94 | 94 | 225.00 | 225.00 | Average Yearlings |
| 5 | 105-115 | 111 | 280.00-285.00 | 283.11 | Average |
| 3 | 113 | 113 | 250.00 | 250.00 | Average Buck Kids |

KIDS - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
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|----|-------|----|---------------|--------|-------------------|
| 3 | 43 | 43 | 280.00 | 280.00 | Average |
| 20 | 51-56 | 54 | 260.00-295.00 | 278.95 | Average |
| 5 | 58 | 58 | 230.00 | 230.00 | Average Yearlings |
| 27 | 61-67 | 63 | 260.00-280.00 | 273.68 | Average |
| 6 | 63 | 63 | 220.00 | 220.00 | Average Yearlings |
| 1 | 70 | 70 | 240.00 | 240.00 | Average |
| 2 | 75 | 75 | 255.00 | 255.00 | Average Pygmies |
| 10 | 72-76 | 74 | 220.00-255.00 | 237.97 | Average Yearlings |
| 4 | 81 | 81 | 267.50 | 267.50 | Average |
| 3 | 85 | 85 | 225.00-240.00 | 235.00 | Average Yearlings |
| 1 | 90 | 90 | 205.00 | 205.00 | Average Yearlings |

KIDS - Selection 2-3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 18 | 64 | 64 | 185.00 | 185.00 | Average Yearlings |

KIDS - Selection 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 21 | 40-45 | 44 | 220.00-245.00 | 230.62 | Average |
| 19 | 57 | 57 | 190.00 | 190.00 | Average Yearlings |

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 19 | 100-135 | 119 | 147.50-160.00 | 155.25 | Average |
| 5 | 165-170 | 168 | 135.00-142.50 | 137.95 | Average |
| 3 | 160-173 | 169 | 105.00 | 105.00 | Low |
| 2 | 220 | 220 | 130.00 | 130.00 | High |

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 2 | 70-75 | 73 | 132.50-135.00 | 133.71 | Average |
| 1 | 70 | 70 | 100.00 | 100.00 | Average Pygmies |
| 5 | 92-95 | 93 | 132.50-140.00 | 135.56 | Average |
| 33 | 100-130 | 112 | 105.00-142.50 | 130.31 | Average |
| 3 | 157 | 157 | 110.00 | 110.00 | Average |

NANNIES/DOES - Selection 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 12 | 43 | 43 | 112.50 | 112.50 | Average |
| 2 | 55 | 55 | 85.00 | 85.00 | Average Pygmies |
| 6 | 103-110 | 105 | 95.00-107.50 | 98.85 | Average |



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BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 4 | 130 | 130 | 220.00-250.00 | 238.75 | Average |
| 3 | 150 | 150 | 230.00 | 230.00 | Average |
| 1 | 200 | 200 | 195.00 | 195.00 | Average |

BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 5 | 80-88 | 86 | 175.00-185.00 | 183.15 | Average Pygmies |
| 5 | 108 | 108 | 210.00 | 210.00 | Average |
| 2 | 173 | 173 | 140.00 | 140.00 | Average |

BUCKS/BILLIES - Selection 3 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 4 | 49 | 49 | 155.00 | 155.00 | Average Pygmies |
| 8 | 114 | 114 | 160.00 | 160.00 | Average |

WETHERS - Selection 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 3 | 127 | 127 | 245.00 | 245.00 | Average |

WETHERS - Selection 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)

| <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> | <u>Dressing</u> |
|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 2 | 63 | 63 | 125.00 | 125.00 | Average Pygmies |
| 5 | 129 | 129 | 150.00 | 150.00 | Average |

REPLACEMENT GOATS**FAMILIES - Selection 1 w/ 20-40 lbs kid (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)**

| <u>Age</u> | <u>Stage</u> | <u>Head</u> | <u>Wt Range</u> | <u>Avg Wt</u> | <u>Price Range</u> | <u>Avg Price</u> |
|------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 1-2 | O | 1 | 150 | 150 | 325.00 | 325.00 |

Please Note:

The above USDA LPGMN price report is reflective of the majority of classes and grades of livestock offered for sale. There may be instances where some sales do not fit within reporting guidelines and therefore will not be included in the report. Prices are reported on an FOB basis, unless otherwise noted.

Explanatory Notes:

Stage (Sheep/Goats) - Represents estimated lambing/kidding period (O = open; E = Exposed; B = Bred; FALL = September to November; WIN = December to February; SPR = March to May; SUM = June to August)

Age - Numerical representation of age in years.